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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR NEW APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a(n)

[X]Original patent application.

[X] Utility

[] Design

[]Continuation-in-part application

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TITLE:

NETWORK GROUP PICKUP

Enclosed are:

[X] Twenty Seven (27) page specification.

[X] Nine (9) sheets of drawings [] formal drawings [x] informal drawings (one set)

[X] The Declaration and Power of Attorney

[x] signed [] unsigned

[X] An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to: <u>SIEMENS</u>

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[X] Information Disclosure Statement, 1449 and four (4) references.

[X] Filing fee has been calculated as shown below (other than small entity):

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